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## THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Important Happenings.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 26.—Natural gas piped from Menifee county, nearly 100 miles away, reached Lexington to-night and was officially welcomed. The main from the fields terminate at Third street and Everett avenue, in the suburbs, and from there the gas is distributed through the city mains. To-night the pressure was turned from the Menifee fields and came full charged to the distributing station, here. About 8 o'clock a delegation of city officials and officers of the county proceeded to this station, and the Mayor turned on and ignited the first flame of natural gas ever seen in Lexington.

The largest verdict in a damage suit for personal injuries or death which has been awarded in Jefferson county in years was given by a jury in Judge O'Doherty's court, when the administrator of George D. Hilton was allowed \$14,000. The suit was against the K. and L. Bridge Company.

Hazard, Ky., Jan. 25.—During a quarrel over a debt of 50 cents, Joshua Meadows shot and instantly killed his cousin, Burton Little, last night. They were neighbors, and had been close friends. After the deed Meadows attempted suicide, shooting himself, but only inflicted a slight wound. He was arrested and is in jail here.

Ford, Ky., Jan. 24.—Charles Tensley is alleged to have shot and killed Tandy Chennault. Tensley walked into the room and was told he was not welcome. He then pulled his pistol, it is said, and began shooting. Tensley escaped.

New trials were granted by the Court of Appeals in the cases of John and Edward Taylor, under sentence of death at Lexington for murder.

Judge John E. Cooper, of Mt. Sterling, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Congress from the Tenth district.

Owingsville, Ky., Jan. 27.—The Lenore National Bank at Morehead will re-open for business Monday after a suspension of two months. When the bank suspended there remained \$31,000 of deposits in the vaults, and this will now be released.

Sixty-five indictments were returned by the grand jury at Mt. Sterling, Ky. Sixteen were on charges of election offenses.

Fayette Gardner, a tobacconist of Mayfield, Ky., died there suddenly of pneumonia of the heart.

John Frey, who was charged with malicious assault, was given a six month sentence in the Boyle Circuit Court, this being the third time he has been sentenced to the penitentiary. The offense for which Frey was sent to the penitentiary was committed while he was serving a term in the Workhouse. He attempted to escape and Frank Timmons, the keeper of the workhouse, recaptured him. On the way back to the workhouse he grappled with Mr. Timmons and succeeded in taking the officer's revolver away from him and shot at him.

Senator Shaduan has introduced a bill providing for the appointment of railroad policemen for the several railroad corporations for service upon their trains when necessary. The policemen are to be appointed by the Governor upon designation by the company during such officers, and the corporation is to bear the expense in connection with the appointment and service. The committee amended the bill in but one particular, that to the effect that the policemen appointed shall have authority to make arrests and serve papers in connection therewith only upon railroad trains and in cases growing out of such arrests. In other words, that they shall not serve any paper which the law now provides shall be served by another officer.

Senator Shaduan says such legislation is badly needed for the eastern section of the State, where there is much of liquor drinking and brawling among passenger trains. The railroad companies are not unfavorable to the measure, for it is not compulsory upon them to appoint such policemen unless they desire them for the safe conduct of passengers between certain points.

By unanimous action the State Senate appropriated \$12,500 to repair and preserve the monument of Henry Clay, in the Lexington cemetery. The House will concur, and the work will be done immediately.

Senator Nat Porter, of Warren county, called the attention of the Kentucky Senate to the death of General Joseph Wheeler, and it adjourned in respect to his memory.

The county school teachers of Kentucky teach an average of 102 hours each, and receive each an average monthly salary of \$33.60.

Brownf ord, Ky., Jan. 28.—Chairman Wright, of the special committee to which was delegated the arranging of a program for the anniversary of the Goebel Memorial, on January 30 next, stated that the committee has decided to postpone the exercises until Tuesday, January 6, a week later. One that the joint session of the Assembly will be held. Col. Bennett H. Young of Louisville, will be orator.

eral hundred dollars. Prof Jas. H. Fuqua, Sr., State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has issued a letter to all city and county superintendents urging them to urge the teachers in their jurisdictions to explain the plan to their pupils and take up collections. If every school in the State will raise only a few dollars there will be enough money on hand to pay for the statue, which will cost about \$6,000.

The Jackson Hustler sounds the keynote of the better spirit of the mountains when it says:

There is considerable talk at present about the proposed bill in the Kentucky legislature for extensive geological surveys and investigations in the mountains of Eastern Kentucky. Above all other measures is most important. Rich in undeveloped and unknown resources, abundant and boundless mineral deposits, possibilities and wealth scarcely yet dreamed of. Let us look to the development and upbuilding of the mountain section of Kentucky and bring our hills on a level with the more favored portions of the Commonwealth.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 28.—The trustees of Kentucky University have decided to make a strong effort to raise an endowment fund to amount to a million dollars in 1905. Frank White, financial secretary of the university, has been commissioned to canvass Kentucky and the South to raise this amount. Andrew Carnegie has announced his willingness to give \$25,000 to be used in building a science hall for the university, provided the university will raise an equal amount. The university has already secured contributions of \$12,500, and have no doubt of the remaining sum being given by May 1, when it is expected to start on the construction of the building. It is proposed to use the whole amount of \$50,000 in constructing the building, which will be equipped from the university's endowment fund. The new building will conform to the classic lines of the historic Morrison chapel, and will in addition to class rooms contain a library and a reading room.

Mr. Carnegie's contribution has aroused the hopes and ambition of the college authorities, and they announce their belief that they can secure the million-dollar endowment this year, and it would not be surprising if Mr. Carnegie should be a material contributor.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 27.—Mrs. John Ross, living two miles from this place, gave her four-month-old baby a large dose of morphine by mistake, and though the physicians used restoratives, the child died this morning. The mother is fatalistic from grief at her fatal mistake.

Miss Lura Davidson, who was attending college at London, Ky., has mysteriously disappeared. Her home is said to be at Mayfield, Ky.

The Cole-Hannan legislative contest from Greenup county has been decided in committee adversely to the contestant. It will be recommended to the House that Mr. Hannah, the Republican, retain his seat.

By failing of slate in the Oldham-Barnett coal mine at Songo, Ky., eight miles east of Owenton, William Burnett, one of the proprietors, and Herbert Walden, who was inspecting the mine, were crushed to death and Edward Pierce and Cash Price were fatally hurt.

Miss Anna Maria Hill, 106 years old, of Cass Ridge, Bourbon county, is disabled from a fall. Said to be a blind white native of State.

Kuttawa, Ky., Jan. 27.—The Senate and House Legislative Committees visited the Eddyville prison to-day and will recommend the appropriation asked for to build a hospital.

In the past six months there have been sounded over the graves of 28,000 pensioners of the Civil War, according to a statement of Pension Commissioner Warner. This, he says, is an evidence of the rapidity with which the veterans are being diminished. The total number of pensioners on December 31 was 679,234.

At a Confederate banquet in New York Gen. Fred Grant, son of Gen. U. S. Grant, proposed that a move be begun at once to have the birthday anniversary of Gen. Robert E. Lee made a national holiday.

The body of Gen. Joseph Wheeler was buried Monday in Arlington cemetery, with the full military honors, an officer of his rank. Funeral services were held Sunday in St. Thomas Episcopal church, New York.

Mr. Sterling, Ky., Jan. 26.—Spotted fever has broken out in Donaldson, this county. One whole family is afflicted, there are twenty cases. One death has resulted.

The Isthmian Canal Commission is believed to have decided to recommend construction of a lock canal with an eighty-five-foot level, thus practically adopting the recommendations of the minority of the consulting engineers.

Capt. William H. Van Schaick was found guilty in New York of criminal negligence in failing to have fire drills on the steamer Gen. Slocum, which burned in June, 1893, with the loss of more than 1,000 lives. He was immediately sentenced to 10 years imprisonment.

The second day of the "Home Coming Week for Kentuckians" in Louisville, June 12, to 17, will be known as Easter Day, when a statue of the author of "My Old Kentucky Home" will be unveiled. The money to pay for this statue is being contributed by the school children of Kentucky. The children of the Louisville public schools have already contributed several thousand dollars.

The Jackson Hustler sounds the keynote of the better spirit of the mountains when it says:

"I will again buy the stabl. You are answered. Yet this is no blithe's balance nor am I a sudden other. Though the stabl. is stern, still I againbuy it."

"I will recover the stabl. You are amazed? Yet this is no young girl's boasting nor am I a fool, either. Though the stabl. is stern, still I againbuy it."

"Elton Allaway, Joe Allaway, Once Barton, H. Bowling and others from this place attended the K. and P. entertainment in Jellico, Tenn., on the night of the 22nd.

Miss Minnie Frank, of Ashland, is here teaching school.

Every success to the NEWS. J. B.

## THE LAST CALL

Obeyed by "Fighting Joe" Wheeler, One of Our Great Characters.

Gen. Joseph Wheeler, a Lieutenant General in the Confederate army and a Brigadier General, retired, of the United States army, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sterling Susti, in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Gen. Wheeler contracted a severe cold, which developed into pleurisy and pneumonia.

Gen. Wheeler was born in Augusta, Ga., September 19, 1832. After preparation in local schools he was sent to the United States Military Academy at West Point, was graduated in 1859, serving as Second Lieutenant in the United States Cavalry until 1861. On the breaking out of the Civil War, Gen. Wheeler left his fortunies with the Confederacy, and by bravery earned the title of "Fighting Joe." He became First Lieutenant of Artillery, Colonel of Infantry, then Brigadier General of Cavalry, Major General and Lieutenant General.

During the many engagements he took part in, Gen. Wheeler was wounded three times, and had sixteen horses killed under him. He was intrepid and fearless, and always fought in the thickness of the fray. In recognition of his bravery and ability, the Confederate Congress passed a resolution of thanks to him.

After the war he retired to active business life as a lawyer and planter. In 1881 he was sent to Congress from the Eighth Alabama district, serving with distinction until 1886. He was again elected to the Fifty-sixth Congress, but resigned. In 1888, at the beginning of the Spanish war, General Wheeler tendered his services to President McKinley. At that time the South was involved with the war spirit, and the offer of the old Confederates General to fight under the Stars and Stripes was taken as an evidence that the old sores had healed, and the people South and North were really united and fighting side by side.

President McKinley promptly accepted the services of Gen. Wheeler, and on May 4, 1898, appointed him Major General of Volunteers in the United States army, and assigned him to the command of the Cavalry Division, Army of Santiago.

After returning to the United States he was ordered to the Philippines, where he commanded the First Brigade, Second Division, from August, 1899, to January, 1900.

In June 1900, he was made a Brigadier General in the United States army, and after being in command in the Department of the Lakes he retired.

The post-office at Anchorage was robbed of about \$100, the safe being blown open with giant powder. The burglars escaped by stealing a horse and buggy and going to Louisville.

The only clue is the print of a man's left hand in the dust on a typewriter cover showing one finger to be missing.

John H. Dye, a dentist, and his wife were instantly killed in Louisville Monday. They were riding in an automobile, which was struck by a Southern railroad train.

At Napoleon's Tomb.

Henry Vignaud, secretary of the American embassy at Paris, according to Success, enjoys telling of an American who was being shown the tomb of Napoleon. As the guide referred to the various points of interest in connection with the tomb the American evinced his greatest interest in all the arts was said.

"This immense sarcophagus," he claimed, "weighs forty tons. Inside of that, sir, is a steel casket weighing twelve tons and inside of that is a leaden casket weighing over two tons, hermetically sealed. Inside of that rats a mahogany coffin containing the remains of the great man."

For a moment the American was silent, as if in deep meditation. Then he said:

"It seems to me that you've got him all right. If he ever gets out, call me at my expense."

Words Seldom Used.

A philologist was talking about words. "There are about 25,000 words in the English language," he said, "but we only use a few thousand of them. The extra ones are use to us. Any man could sit down with a dictionary and write in good English a story that no one in the world would understand. Here, for instance, can you make head or tail of this?"

And the philologist pattered on gibly—

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## Home Made

Have your cake, muffins, and tea biscuits home-made. They will be fresher, cleaner, more tasty and wholesome.

Royal Baking Powder helps the housewife to produce at home, quickly and economically, fine and tasty cake, the raised hot-biscuit, puddings, the frosted layer-cake, crisp cookies, crullers, crusts and muffins, with which the ready-made food found at the bake-shop or grocery does not compare.

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### Home Circle Column.

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Young man or young woman, if you have a mother living, love her. One little kiss to her while she is living is worth vastly more to her than all the flowers you can pile on her coffin after she is dead. One little kind word is worth more to her than all the money you can spend at her funeral. Your mother may be growing old, if so, love her, be kind to her. She loves you and will do more for you than any other person living, so take her as the best friend you have or will have.

IS LIFE WORTH LIVING? Is life worth living? you ask. Yes, we answer, if you have learned how to live it.

To the coward who shirks from duty, the weak who cowers before temptation, the doubter who will not wear the shield of faith, the despairing who cries out against hope, the hypocrite who calls truth a mockery, to all these life is not worth living. But to him who has learned the true secrets of life, its very trials are sweetened, and he counts it a blessing, for he has learned to live for God and his fellowmen, he has learned how to make every hour worthy of record, has learned how some humble work, some dead chimpise, high empire.

NO CASE OF PNEUMONIA ON RECORD.

We do not know of a single instance where a cough or cold resulted in pneumonia or consumption when Foley's Honey and Tar had been taken. It cures coughs and colds perfectly, so do not take chances with some unknown preparation which may contain opiates, which causes constipation, a condition that retards recovery from a cold. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Sold by Louis Drug Co.

SACRED WIND.

We are pleased to see Dick Sturgill able to be our own again.

Lee Perkins is visiting at David Sturgill's.

Sarah Josie Sparks was at L. F. Boggs' shopping recently.

Peter L. Sparks, our hustling farmer, keeps moving rain or shine. We are pleased to have Mr. Sparks in our midst.

School closed in Dist. No. 14 on the 26th inst., with quite a treat. The little pupils all came home with lots of candy.

Harry Trippett, our obdurate mail carrier, arrives in due time. We are pleased to have such service.

J. C. and Jimmy Blevins were here this week.

Dick Boggs and wife were visiting.

Con Gambill is making spoke for G. W. Sturgill.

Clabe Boggs and Arbie Gambill were on our streets last Sunday.

Little Ronald Gambill has been quite sick this week, but we find him better.

Almina Moore was visiting Arena Sturgill this week.

Kate Boggs made a trip to L. F. Boggs' on 25th.

David Sturgill went to Blaine on business this week.

Granville Moore, Wash Lanning and Harrison Caudill were out last Saturday evening looking after business.

Miss Minnie Boggs was calling at the post office this week. Minnie is a charming girl.

James H. Boggs is reported no better.

Old Sal.

FRIGHTFULLY BURNED.

Chas. W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electric furnace. He applied Buckley's Arnica Salve with the usual result, "a quick and perfect cure. Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Eczema, and Piles." 2c at A. M. Hughes, druggist.

WATCH REPAIRING.

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FRIDAY, February 2, 1896.

The Kentucky Legislature has passed a law taxing all dogs, the proceeds to go to the school fund and to reimburse owners of sheep killed by dogs.

Judge E. C. O'Rear in his private opinion says it is not necessary that a case of forcible entry or detainer be tried on the premises or a place convenient at the rate.

The Ashland Daily Independent and the Cynthiaburg Daily Press have consolidated, and the only publication now issued is from the plant of the Independent. Both Ashland and Cynthiaburg will be served by that news sheet. Cynthiaburg is a good town for its size, but the history of similar efforts throughout the United States shows that it is an impossibility to sustain a daily of much pretension in a city of that size. A fifty per cent. increase in population is needed to support even a moderately good daily paper.

The people in general will rejoice greatly if the Legislature passes the bill making the express companies amenable to the laws regulating common carriers in Kentucky. The "hold up" made by these companies is simply outrageous. Think of paying 60 cents on a 5-pound, non-breakable package from Chicago to Louisa, for instance, and Congress plays into the hands of these robbers. You can send an 11-pound package by parcel post from Great Britain to the other for 25¢, but when you try to inaugurate such a system in the United States the express companies say to Congress it mustn't be done, and it isn't. Eleven pounds in this country by post must be in 1 package and it would cost \$1.75. Yet, this is a free country—not.

### ULYSSES.

On last Friday morning a 15 months old chd. of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Davis was burned to death. Its mother went a short distance to a neighbor's well to get a bucket of water, and on her return was horrified to find the clothing all burned from its body. It lived but a short time. The parents have the sympathy of all.

Saturday and Sunday was the quarterly meeting at this place. There was a large and attentive congregation. Sunday Rev. Layne was here from Ohio, also, Rev. Borders, from West Virginia.

Several persons from this place attended aunt Linda Vanhoose's burial on Tom's creek Sunday.

Misses Eva Chapman and Nannie Williamson, of Cynthiaburg, have been visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparrel Stewart, of Elliott, are here, the guests of her parents.

Mrs. Wallace Borders, who has been on the sick list for some time, is better.

Born, to Ed Boyd and wife, on the 10th, a fine girl.

Miss Nannie Williamson and Hattie Davis visited our school Friday.

T. .. Dalton was a visitor at Jeff Brown's Sunday.

Misses Linda and Thura Borders, of Borders Chapel, and Doyle Brown, of Lost creek, attended church here Sunday.

On Tuesday night, 16th, a barn belonging to J. A. Bentley was burned a considerable amount of hay and feed was in the barn. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Allen Pack went to Ashland one day last week.

Farmer Deardorff, of Lowmanville, is suffering with a tumor on his hand. Some fear he has cancer.

Elliott Preston is going to have a fine lot of cross ties sawed on the head of Georges creek.

The Chandler brothers will soon move their mill to the head of Georges creek.

Ames Davis, of Blaine, is going to move to Nelson branch soon.

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When you put your advertisement in the NEWS we put it into the hand of more people than you can possibly reach for a like amount of money spent anywhere else. The results from your advertising are necessarily proportionate with the number of people who read it. You are welcome to examine our subscription list.

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Ayer's Cherry Pectoral certainly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption. And it certainly strengthens weak throats and weak lungs. There can be no mistake about this. You know it is true. And your own doctor will say so.

"My little boy had a terrible cough. I tried everything I could hear of but in vain until I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. The first night he was perfectly well."—Mrs. S. J. French, Alton, Ill.

Made by J. C. Ayer & Son, New York. Also manufacturers of  
SARSAPARILLA  
PILLS.  
HAIR VINE.

Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's  
Pills and the lungs recover.

## NEW DISTRICT.

### Lawrence County to be Placed in New Judicial Company.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 29.—The law court's Committee is willing to have a census on that Twenty-first judicial circuit. As was indicated last week the committee and attorney decided to report favorably a 15-second district and a 14th-second, the Thirty-second to consist of Carter, Elliott, Lawrence and Morgan.

Judge M. M. Redwine was probably to be appointed. This will leave the Twentieth consisting of Boyd, Greenup and Lewis, and the Nineteenth of任ing, Madison and Bracken.

The Twentieth, as provided for in the law, will be presided over by Judge S. G. Kinner, and the Nineteenth by Judge J. P. Harbeson. There was something of a fight over this bill in the committee. One of those interested wanted the Thirty-second to consist of Carter, Greenup, and Lewis, and the Twentieth of Lawrence, Boyd, Elliott and Morgan, allowing Judge Kinner to preside over the new district and the appointee over the Twentieth. The objection was on judicial grounds, the contention being that the two districts would be more nearly Democratic than under the bill's shifting of committees. One of those interested was disposed to make the matter one for census decision, but later it was decided that the bill could be handled in committee. When it comes up in the Senate it is possible that an effort will be made to amend the bill as is indicated.

Some speculation is indulged as to the eligibility of Judge Redwine to the new judgeship, should the bill become a law. The point is made that Judge Redwine is a member of the Legislature which creates the district, and on that account he might not be eligible to the office—Courtier.

### Artomys Monax.

This celebrated little animal is due to appear in many parts of the United States to-day. If the weather be cloudy the visitor will probably remain. On the other hand if the sun shines, even long enough for him to see his shadow, it is said that he will go to his hole and pull it in after him, there to remain during the six weeks of storm which will surely follow.

### OVERDA.

Aunt Anna Young, who has been sick for so long, we are sorry to say is no better.

Moving is all the go.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young, a fine boy, and Frank is all smiles.

Nelson Kelley has moved from Irish creek to Willard. We are sorry to have them leave us.

Drew Adams is attending school at Blaine.

A large crowd attended the last day of school at Polley's Chapel and all report a nice time.

Virgil and Mary Adams were the guests of Martha and Mary Webb Thursday.

Virgil Adams was calling on his cousins, Misses Mintle and Ella Lester Saturday.

Claud Young and Isaiah Houck attended church at Daniel's creek Sunday.

George Kelley is talking of going to Paint creek, W. Va. We are sorry to see him go.

Misses Leona and Mary Adams were calling on their cousin, Virgil Adams, this week.

Success to the NEWS. Guess Who.

### Cincinnati Markets.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 31.—The Produce Exchange again reduced the price of eggs to a dozen, to 15¢ a dozen for fresh stock and 18¢ for ordinary receipts. This is the third decline in three days.

CATTLE.—Active and steady to strong. Shippers 4.35 to 5.10; butcher steers, good to choice, 4.25 to 4.75, common to fair 3 to 4; heifers, good to choice 3.25 to 4.40, common to fair 2.50 to 3.65.

CALVES: Active and steady to strong; extra 7.75 to 8, fair to good 6.75 to 7.50, common and large 4 to 7.25.

HOGS: Active and strong at yesterday's prices; good to choice packers 5.75 to 5.80, mixed packers 5.25 to 5.80, stags 2.75 to 4.25.

SHEEP: Strong; extra 3.25 to 5.75, good to choice 4.00 to 5.25, common to fair 3 to 4.50.

LAMBS: Steady, extra 7.00, good to choice 7 to 7.50, common to fair 4.25 to 6.50.

### FOR SALE.

One set of broom manufacturing machinery. Complete outfit, good as new, and will sell at less than manufacturer's price. E. B. Fitch, & Son, Louisa, Ky.

### A HEALING GOSPEL.

The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist Church, Belair, Ga., says of Electric Bitters: "It's a Godsend to mankind. It cured me of back, stiff joints, and complete paralysis. I was so weak it took me half an hour to walk a mile. Two bottles of Electric Bitters have made me so strong I have just walked three miles in fifty minutes and feel like walking three more. It's made me a new man." Greatest remedy for weakness and stomach. Liver and Kidney complaints. Sold under guarantee at A. M. Hughes' drug store. Price 50¢.

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10,000 handmade rived and shaved shingles, made of chestnut, chestnut oak, black oak or yellow poplar. For prices &c., see E. B. Fitch, Louisa, Ky.

Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's  
Pills and the lungs recover.

## OUR NEIGHBORS.

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Senator Whitfield has introduced a bill to make Olive Hill a fifth-class town.

Roy, son of Dan Davis, of Paintsville, died at that place Sunday afternoon.

Bill Bradley, express clerk at Paintsville, has been fined \$50 for selling C. O. D. whiskey at the depot.

Mrs. Frances Marion Henry, of Pikeville, Tenn., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Z. A. Thompson, at Pikeville, Ky. She is accompanied by her little son, Francis.

A petition to declare J. Mont Bevins, a merchant of Bent Branch, Pike county, Ky., to be a bankrupt was filed in the United States District Court at Covington.

On the 14th of February, 1896, the Steamer Sea Gull will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at White House, Ky., by U. S. Deputy Marshal T. S. Solyer.

W. W. Caperton, a C. and O. Brakeman, attempted to commit suicide in Huntington Saturday night by jumping from a second-story window. He had been on a protracted spree.

The Appellate Court reversed the Pike Circuit Court in the case of Antonio Tretta's administrator vs. Johnson, Briggs & Pitts. The action was for the sum of appellants' labors employed by railroad contractors.

Rumor has it that the wholesale establishment of Staffords, Turner, & Hager, of Paintsville, will be incorporated with a capital of \$100,000 and a large business house constructed in the west end for the company's use.

Huntington, W. Va., January 27.—Ken Canterbury trial in Wyoming county for the murder of Isaac Christian, Prosecuting Attorney of Wyoming, was to-day found guilty of murder and was sentenced to serve 15 years in state prison.

Last Monday, the seven-year-old boy of John Hutton, near Campion, Wolfe county, shot and instantly killed his mother. She had corrected him for something he had done and the child said "I'll kill you for this." He went into another room and got his father's pistol and shot her.

Lat. Frazier, of Cynthiaburg, is here to see his father, who is very sick.

Fred Wellman, a prominent merchant of Erie, visited his brother, Pearl, here Sunday.

Rev. J. W. Chaffee just closed a very successful meeting at the M. E. church South. There were about twenty conversions.

John Daniels is here taking options on coal, oil and gas lands. We understand that a test well for oil will be commenced within thirty days.

Deputy Sheriff J. S. Billups has had a very severe attack of tonsillitis, but is better and will soon resume his duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Billups are here visiting his parents. They will soon move to Roanoke, Va., where Mr. Billups has accepted a position with the N. & W.

The stockholders of the Ft. Gandy Creamery company met and discussed the advisability of starting the creamery, but it seems the mother of Fred, whose death we will mention later on. Fortunately, however, the disease was insufficient to do its deadly work as was intended by those in the plot. If more than one we are not advised as to the particulars, but we hope it may prove to be an accident. All the victims are able to be out again.

Rev. L. C. Talbot is now conducting quite a successful revival at Evergreen church. He is highly assisted by Rev. G. E. Chapman.

L. K. Vinson made a business trip to Louisa Saturday.

Miss Pauline Carter gave her friends a birthday dinner last Thursday, and quite an enjoyable day it was for all. This being her 19th birthday, yet her first experience in entertaining friends, she proved herself quite an accomplished little hostess.

Misses Lillian Hall and Grace Chapman are guests of Mrs. Lacie Wellman.

Hon. S. V. Crum was in Ceredo Monday and Tuesday on professional business.

Z. T. Peters was a business visitor at Williamson Monday and Tuesday.

Willie Crabtree, our constable, is around hustling the boys.

W. M. Thompson passed down our creek Thursday.

Frank Thompson, Charlie Hughes and Labe Wells were on Twin Branch Saturday.

Willie Crabtree, our constable, is around hustling the boys.

Philip Shavel and Don Belcher, of Gandy, attended Sunday School here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Dobkins were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McNamee, at that place Sunday.

G. E. Chapman lost a fine male last week by falling on a stick.

Tom Chapman is here on a visit to his father, G. E. Chapman.

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Belle Vinson will attend school at Louisa this winter.

A normal school will be taught at this place this winter by S. Y. Dobbins. We feel sure of a success, as Mr. Dobkins is a fine teacher.

Misses Lillian Hall and Grace Chapman are guests of Mrs. Lacie Wellman.

John Phillips, of Ceredo, Monday and Tuesday.

Everything went off quietly and some nice speeches were made by D. L. and W. H. C. Thompson and Harvey Jobe. All were sorry to see the school close, as we had an excellent teacher and wish him well, wherever he goes.

Dave Thompson, our teacher, has moved from this place to Little Blaine and George Carter has moved into the house vacated by Thompson.

Andy Webb, Jr., went to Webbville last week.

George Lewis and Mary Dean were calling on Martha and Mary Webb Thursday.

Drew Adams and Sherman Evans started to Blaine Normal School last week.

Eliza Clevenger was calling on Mrs. Lacie Carter Thursday.

Jacob Arrington and family will leave this place next week for W. Va. We are sorry to see them go.

Mrs. Frank Clark, who has been sick for sometime is no better.

Willie Thompson, of Little Blaine, attended the last day of our school.

There was a fine drove of cattle taken by this place last week.

Jettie Adams, of Twin Branch, was visiting at Andy Webb's Wednesday.

Delta Webb was calling at George Carters last week.

Church at this place was largely attended last Sunday.

E. M. Clevenger is our hustling merchant, Albert Young our blacksmith, Thomas Large our Deputy Clerk, Harry Jobe our Sheriff, Willie Crandall our Constable. Who can beat that?



## SWINDLERS ABROAD.

## Mythical Kentucky Farm Traded For Dakota Property.

A Southern young girl, quite a beauty, at the thought of a Yankee would be lost. And once nearly frayed From her toes to her nose, "Come she wouldn't wear a union suit."

THE TRUTH. A sleeping old boar at Duluth ate fried eggs with a fork of one tooth. But he called to his wife: "That's path me that knife: I don't like to loathe all this juth."

Insure with Wallace. Life, Fire, Accident, etc. Office near depot.

Police Court "got busy" this week.

Mrs. R. S. Chaffin was sick this week.

Leslie Hill has been quite sick for a few days.

Justice's for wraps and skirts of all description.

The wife of Rev. Grizzel is yet very sick with typhoid.

See the fine line of books and bibles on display at Conley's.

The finest line of candies, fruits and nuts in town is at Crutcher's.

Gobbie Grizzel has been sick a few days, and is thought to have typhoid.

The W. F. M. S. will meet with Mrs. R. T. Burns next Tuesday afternoon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Reynolds of Huntington, a daughter last Sunday.

We are glad to say that Mrs. D. J. Burchett, Jr., is considerably improved in health.

The Gossip Club was delightfully entertained last Friday evening by Mrs. Mary Horton.

Ben Rule has moved into the house recently fitted up by Frank Yates near Mrs. Hannah Lackey.

Wayne - amon has moved to Portsmouth and Mrs. Fanny Stringfellow has moved into the house vacated by him.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their regular monthly meeting this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. F. T. D. Wallace.

Mr. Jack Preese, who lives a few miles from Louisa, was called to East Point by the dangerous illness of his sister, Margaret.

Born, at Danvers, W. Va., Jan. 20, to Jeff McClure and wife, a fine girl - Virginia. Mother and daughter both doing well.

On Thursday of last week several of Little Roberta Dixons' young friends assisted her in passing her 21st birthday in a very pleasant way.

R. S. Chaffin, a competent workman, has gone with the Walters Contract Co., to superintend a gang working for this company on the Tidewater railroad.

Mrs. Victoria Gurred, now in school in Washington, was the guest of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt at their reception at the White House, Jan. 15.

Lisbeth, the linguist, who figures that there are only 620,448,701,132,239,729,000 words in all languages, probably never attended a meeting of the Louisa Gossip Club.

A large number of pupils from the country, are entering the Louisa School, and the success of the Normal is fully assured. A class in shorthand has already been organized.

W. J. Vaughan is in Louisville this week attending the Pastors' Institute now in session in that city. Mr. Vaughan is on the program for an address, and his friends are sure he will acquit himself creditably.

Contracts for supplying the canning factory with products are being taken. The crops needed for this purpose may be largely taken care of by women and children, as the greater part of the work is light.

Nothing has yet been done toward the active work of construction of the Louisa & Ft. Gay bridge. The Superintendent, Mr. Karch, is now here making contracts for timber and lumber.

Quite a number of people took advantage of the low rates offered by the steamer Dunc on Sunday and made the round trip to Cattellburg. During the trip there were 82 passengers.

A good many people from Fallsburg, Hornsford branch and vicinity were here this week giving their depositions before Assistant Master Commissioner Stewart in the case of the administrator of James Layne vs. the estate.

Make a not now to get Kly's Cream Balm if you are troubled with nasal aches, hay fever or cold in the head. It is purifying and soothing to the sensitive membranes that line the air-passages. It is made to cure the disease, not to fool the patient by a short, deceptive relief. There is no cocaine nor mercury in it. Do not be talked into taking a substitute for Kly's Cream Balm. All druggists sell it. Price 80c. Manufactured by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

## Fitzpatrick Romance.

Since the death of the late Hon. T. J. Fitzpatrick, at Frankfort, it has become known that he was engaged to wed a Louisville girl, Miss Estella Shelley, of 625 Third Avenue. The wedding was to have taken place the first of February.

Miss Shelley is prostrated by the death. During the month of December Mr. Fitzpatrick was under a physician's care at the home of Miss Shelley, who conducts a rooming-house. Miss Shelley took an unusual interest in the patient. She attended him faithfully according to the doctor's orders and under her care he improved greatly.

In spite of the difference in age, Shelley was twenty-three and Mr. Fitzpatrick fifty-five years, an attachment sprang up between them and a little more than two weeks after they had met the engagement was made.

Mr. Fitzpatrick left for Frankfort the first of the year, Miss Shelley said she had received no word from him from the time he left until she learned the news of his death through the newspapers.

Mr. Fitzpatrick died Monday night of heart failure, after an illness of two weeks. Miss Shelley says she knew nothing of her lover's illness at Frankfort, or she would have gone to nurse him.

Mr. Fitzpatrick was formerly a cressman from the Tenth Kentucky District. He was the owner of 50,000 acres of mountain coal lands and a farm near Frankfort. — Louisville Times.

## FOR CONGRESS.

## Gossip About Races Soon to Shape Up.

The situation in the Ninth district is an interesting one. Judge J. B. Bennett, a Republican, is at present the Congressman from this district. It is said he will get his re-nomination without any opposition and the Democrats are anxious to put in his successor.

Judge Bennett defeated Congressman Kehoe by the narrow majority of forty-four votes and it is said that Mr. Kehoe practically made his race alone. The Democrats are up there think they can name the next man to go to Washington.

W. H. Young, it is said, would be willing to be the next man from Rowan county, and is a powerful fact in mountain politics.

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It was arranged that Williamson was to accompany Stanford to Kentucky at Omaha, on their way there. Stanford disappeared. Then it dawned upon Williamson that he had been swindled out of his 500-acre farm and the Britt farm out of \$1,750. He went to Kentucky and wired the Omaha police from Paintsville to that there was no such town as Stanfordville and no such man as Stanford admitting that he had lost his farm and the bank its money.

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**ANGEL CHILDREN.**  
Is there any happier woman in this world than that mother whose each morning she sees to her bed and finds her angel to continually lift her thoughts toward the sunshines of perfect happiness? But sorry is the lot of that poor mother to whom misfortune has caused to be a cause of rejoicing, but has become instead a burden to be dredged and beamed forward to the world with a melancholy and apprehension.

"About three months before our last baby was born (which is our fourth), our little Conley's Cough Myrtlepoint, Cool Oregon, my health was very poor, I had suffered for eight years with female disease. I doctor'd with no relief, so I wrote to the World's Doctor, Dr. F. C. Pierce, and was advised to take Dr. F. C. Pierce's Medicine. I did so, and am now in perfect health again. I did my work up to the last, and felt splendid. "I got along fine during confinement, and was well when I left home. When I was three months old he weighed eighteen pounds; he is now seven months old and weighs twenty-four pounds. I am a strong, healthy, well-nourished baby. I am a good baby, and I am sure you will be pleased with me. I thank you very much for the good you have done for me."

Any query you may have to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., a statement of his case, which will be considered in absolute confidence by this physician who stands among the foremost specialists of the century in the treatment of women's diseases. He will send you in a plain sealed envelope, if you send him a valuable advice free of all charge.

Dr. Pierce's great thousand-page, illustrated Common Sense Medical Adviser, will be sent free, paper-bound, for one-cent stamp to pay the cost of mailing only, or cloth-bound for 31 cents.

## THE FARM.

During the past five months several farmers have written me about their horses being troubled with intestinal worms. I have answered some of them by letter. Intestinal worms are most generally found in young animals and those that are weakened or debilitated from any cause. One of the most effective remedies for these worms that we have ever used is a drench composed of turpentine-one ounce, and linseed oil three ounces, given twice a day for three days, and on the fourth a dose of one ounce of Barbadoes aloes. Have a druggist prepare the aloes. If one dislikes, or finds it inconvenient, to give drenches, the following may be given mixed with a light feed of oats and wheat bran once a day for five days: ground gentian, half ounce; ground mix vomica, half dram. The animal should be fed very lightly while the medicine is being given; then gradually increase on full feed. Give it all the good clean food it desires and turn it out for exercise an hour or two every fair day. If it fails to rapidly improve in condition, a good veterinarian should be consulted, for it is more than likely that the animal is wrong otherwise.

The feeding of all live stock is getting to be a more important question each year, and, if we feed for profit we must study closer.

You cannot keep your horses in proper shape by feeding them on corn and timothy hay alone. These are all right as a part ration, but something better must be fed also. Don't leave out oats.

When the farmers quit feeding oats on corn alone we will have healthier hogs and more profitable ones. Feed something with it that will balance the ration.

Have a good lantern and get out to see your stock early these winter mornings. Don't forget to use the corrymbus; it will help keep the horses in good condition.

A farmer who, during the winter, was milking two cows and giving good feed and good care, began to give warm water to drink, and he then got from two to three quarts of milk more. According to this it would pay every farmer to have a tank-heater.

## For Thin Babies

Fat is of great account to a baby; that is why babies are fat. If your baby is scrawny, Scott's Emulsion is what he wants. The healthy baby stores as fat what it does not need immediately for bone and muscle. Fat babies are happy; they do not cry; they are rich; their fat is laid up for time of need. They are happy because they are comfortable. The fat surrounds their little nerves and cushions them. When they are scrawny those nerves are hurt at every ungentle touch. They delight in Scott's Emulsion. It is as sweet as wholesome to them.

Send for free sample.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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404-412 Bond Street  
New York  
200 and 311 20th  
All Druggists

Plenty of bedding kept under the stock keeps them comfortable, increases the value of the manure and pays in more ways than one. Use enough bedding to absorb all the liquid, which is the most valuable part of the manure.

If you want eggs the hens must have a comfortable house for winter. Comfort is as important as feed, and it is much cheaper. Don't give them all ice-cold feed, either.

It will be of advantage to save the bones for the fowls as they are readily consumed by all classes of poultry. It will also pay to buy bones from the butcher and feed to the hens, in which case a bone cutter will prove of valuable assistance. It is not necessary to feed green bone exclusively, but in connection with grain. Fat on bones is not desirable where grain is supplied liberally, but any adhering lean meat will give greater value to the bones. The bone cutter reduces all to a fine condition, and in a short time. As one pound of bone may be used in place of two or three pounds of grain, the cost of the bone is really less than for grain. One reason why bones are valuable is because they promote egg production, as they balance the grain ration and permit of better results from the whole. Any material that increases the number of eggs is cheaper than foods that cost less and which give no results.

Trees dying out, after an orchard gets into bearing, are very difficult to replace. The roots of the growing trees on either side are very apt to fill the vacancy, and all the sooner if the soil was made very rich where the dead tree was.

Do not be impatient with the young orchard. This should not be expected to come very quickly into bearing. Too early fruitage is a sign of disease or insects. If the trees grow thrifly and the ground is good, in due season they will give a proper and substantial amount of themselves.

Says an observer: "All that is best in country life the farmer can do." He cannot be a good farmer, however, and be an idler. We do not believe that time for downright idling is of advantage to anyone. The rich young farmer may be an intelligent experimentalist, and thus blessings to the community at large.

Good blood in livestock is not proof against neglect. Not all who can finely-bred livestock show appreciation of this fact. Hence much of the failure and disappointment seen on the account.

A practical poultry-raiser—one who works for profit, not fancy—says that a well-managed poultry business ought to pay "one hundred per cent, yearly on all capital invested."

The farmer should avoid building temporary fences, unless it is his intention to remove them occasionally to make way for his rotation of crops. Most farmers, however, do not do this; but expect always to keep one fence in place. One cause of loss on American farms is the lack of permanency in the fences. A man should build a fence that will last a life time, says the Farmers' Review. He should select posts that will not decay and have them as long as he can set them deeply in the ground. In fact, they should be set so that neither the frosts nor gales nor floods can shake them. It takes a little longer to build a fence of this kind, but in the years to come the extra labor at the beginning will be well repaid.

Logan Bishop has returned from Ohio, where he has been for quite a while.

Jim Young made a business trip to Webbville Saturday.

Miss Grace Carnutte, of Prosperity, was the pleasant guest of Ruby Young Saturday night.

Tom Short, of Prosperity, was calling on Lou Young Saturday.

Sanford Wellman has purchased a fine span of mules.

George Griffith passed through here en route to Twin Branch Sunday.

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We are sorry to hear of Willie Adams being seriously hurt.

Mrs. Hannah Wellman was calling on Mrs. Mollie Whitten Thursday.

Winnie and Jim Cyrus, of Blaine, are here hunting timber.

Roscoe Wellman, of this place, makes frequent trips to Twin Branch. Dick Cyrus was on our streets Thursday.

Aunt Polly Evans passed through here en route to Overton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Roberts were calling on friends here recently.

Miss Ruby Young was calling on Miss Grace Carnutte Saturday.

Miss Hale Carter was visiting her sister, Mrs. George Adams, Saturday.

Let us hear from Yatesville and Ogle. Success to the NEWS is the wish of the

friends.

THE YELLOW FEVER GERM.

has recently been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malarial germ. To free the system from disease germs, the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pill. Guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malaria poison and constipation. See at A. M. Hughes' drug store.

PRSPERITY.

W. G. Carnutte, who is building a store house for H. G. Gamblin and G. V. Barton, spent Sunday with home folks.

The house consists of the best shelving and counters in the town of Blaine. The inside finish is being made of the latest design.

Several of the young folks of this place are attending school at Blaine.

Miss Ethel Carter was calling on her aunt, Mrs. Maggie Carnutte Saturday.

Mont Adams and L. F. Wellman were calling on W. G. and R. M. Carnutte Sunday.

Dow McCoy, who cut Willie Adams severely on his leg, was bound over to the Circuit Court.

Uncle Frank Wellman is still on the sick list.

Nash Pigg is doing an enterprising business in blacksmithing.

L. F. Wellman is doing an extensive business for Frank Payne and Co., as salesman.

Jim Walter Young was on our creek Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Thompson was visiting her cousin, Mrs. Jennie Simpson recently.

Miss Grace Carnutte was calling on Miss Ruby Young recently.

Success to the NEWS is the wish of the

Old Settler.

We cannot very well wash the cows with cold water now; but we can carefully wipe them with a moist

cloth dipped in warm water. Do this every morning.

The boy who doesn't like farm work, may find that he doesn't like any kind of work—Farm Journal.

LUCKIEST MAN IN ARKANSAS.

"I'm the luckiest man in Arkansas,"

writes H. L. Stanley, of Bruno, since

the restoration of my wife's health

after five years continuous coughing

and bleeding from the lungs; and I

have my good fortune to the world's

greatest medicine, Dr. King's New

Discovery for Consumption, which I

know from experience will cure

consumption if taken in time. My wife

improved with first bottle and twelve

bottles completed cure." Curves the

worst coughs and colds or money re-

fund. At A. M. Hughes' drugstore,

50¢ and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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